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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Y. Tom TANG et al.

Title: PROTEIN-TRANSPORT-
ASSOCIATED MOLECULES

Appl. No.: 09/763,902

Filing Date: 06/13/2001

Examiner: Robert A. Wax

Art Unit: 1653

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 (6 pages).

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$110.00
	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:	\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$110.00

Check No. 36878 in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed for the extension fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated,

otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

By 

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.121**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 20, 2004, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Applicants have enclosed with this response a Petition for a one-month Extension of Time and the appropriate fee to make this paper timely as of July 20, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: